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Establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2006, revising appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal year 2005, and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2007 through 2010.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH , 2005

Mr. NUSSLE, from the Committee on the Budget, reported the following concurrent resolution; which was committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2006, revising appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal year 2005, and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2007 through 2010.

- 1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
2 *concurring),*



1 **SECTION 1. CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ON THE BUDGET**
 2 **FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005.**

3 The Congress declares that the concurrent resolution
 4 on the budget for fiscal year 2006 is hereby established
 5 and that the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years
 6 2005 and 2007 through 2010 are set forth.

7 **TITLE I—RECOMMENDED**
 8 **LEVELS AND AMOUNTS**

9 **SEC. 101. RECOMMENDED LEVELS AND AMOUNTS.**

10 The following budgetary levels are appropriate for
 11 each of fiscal years 2005 through 2010:

12 (1) FEDERAL REVENUES.—For purposes of the
 13 enforcement of this resolution:

14 (A) The recommended levels of Federal
 15 revenues are as follows:

16 Fiscal year 2005:
 17 \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2006:
 19 \$_____.

20 Fiscal year 2007:
 21 \$_____.

22 Fiscal year 2008:
 23 \$_____.

24 Fiscal year 2009:
 25 \$_____.



1 Fiscal year 2010:

2 \$_____.

3 (B) The amounts by which the aggregate
4 levels of Federal revenues should be reduced are
5 as follows:

6 Fiscal year 2005:

7 \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2006:

9 \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2007:

11 \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2008:

13 \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2010:

17 \$_____.

18 (2) NEW BUDGET AUTHORITY.—For purposes
19 of the enforcement of this resolution, the appropriate
20 levels of total new budget authority are as follows:

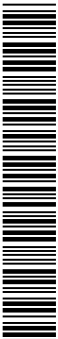
21 Fiscal year 2005: \$_____.

22 Fiscal year 2006: \$_____.

23 Fiscal year 2007: \$_____.

24 Fiscal year 2008: \$_____.

25 Fiscal year 2009: \$_____.



1 Fiscal year 2010: \$_____.

2 (3) BUDGET OUTLAYS.—For purposes of the
3 enforcement of this resolution, the appropriate levels
4 of total budget outlays are as follows:

5 Fiscal year 2005: \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2006: \$_____.

7 Fiscal year 2007: \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2008: \$_____.

9 Fiscal year 2009: \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2010: \$_____.

11 (4) DEFICITS (ON-BUDGET).—For purposes of
12 the enforcement of this resolution, the amounts of
13 the deficits (on-budget) are as follows:

14 Fiscal year 2005: \$_____.

15 Fiscal year 2006: \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2007: \$_____.

17 Fiscal year 2008: \$_____.

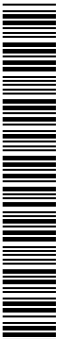
18 Fiscal year 2009: \$_____.

19 Fiscal year 2010: \$_____.

20 (5) DEBT SUBJECT TO LIMIT.—Pursuant to
21 section 301(a)(5) of the Congressional Budget Act
22 of 1974, the appropriate levels of the public debt are
23 as follows:

24 Fiscal year 2005: \$_____.

25 Fiscal year 2006: \$_____.



1 Fiscal year 2007: \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2008: \$_____.

3 Fiscal year 2009: \$_____.

4 Fiscal year 2010: \$_____.

5 (6) DEBT HELD BY THE PUBLIC.—The appro-
6 priate levels of debt held by the public are as follows:

7 Fiscal year 2005: \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2006: \$_____.

9 Fiscal year 2007: \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008: \$_____.

11 Fiscal year 2009: \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2010: \$_____.

13 **SEC. 102. MAJOR FUNCTIONAL CATEGORIES.**

14 The Congress determines and declares that the ap-
15 propriate levels of new budget authority and outlays for
16 fiscal years 2005 through 2009 for each major functional
17 category are:

18 (1) National Defense (050):

19 Fiscal year 2005:

20 (A) New budget authority,

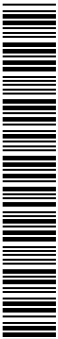
21 \$_____.

22 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

23 Fiscal year 2006:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



6

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2007:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2008:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2009:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2010:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 (2) International Affairs (150):

19 Fiscal year 2005:

20 (A) New budget authority,

21 \$_____.

22 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

23 Fiscal year 2006:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



7

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2007:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2008:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2009:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2010:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 (3) General Science, Space, and Technology

19 (250):

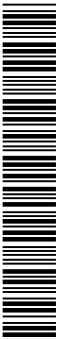
20 Fiscal year 2005:

21 (A) New budget authority,

22 \$_____.

23 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

24 Fiscal year 2006:



8

1 (A) New budget authority,

2 \$_____.

3 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

4 Fiscal year 2007:

5 (A) New budget authority,

6 \$_____.

7 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2008:

9 (A) New budget authority,

10 \$_____.

11 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2009:

13 (A) New budget authority,

14 \$_____.

15 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2010:

17 (A) New budget authority,

18 \$_____.

19 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

20 (4) Energy (270):

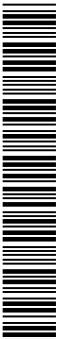
21 Fiscal year 2005:

22 (A) New budget authority,

23 \$_____.

24 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

25 Fiscal year 2006:



1 (A) New budget authority,

2 \$_____.

3 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

4 Fiscal year 2007:

5 (A) New budget authority,

6 \$_____.

7 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2008:

9 (A) New budget authority,

10 \$_____.

11 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2009:

13 (A) New budget authority,

14 \$_____.

15 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2010:

17 (A) New budget authority,

18 \$_____.

19 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

20 (5) Natural Resources and Environment (300):

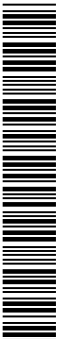
21 Fiscal year 2005:

22 (A) New budget authority,

23 \$_____.

24 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

25 Fiscal year 2006:



10

1 (A) New budget authority,

2 \$_____.

3 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

4 Fiscal year 2007:

5 (A) New budget authority,

6 \$_____.

7 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2008:

9 (A) New budget authority,

10 \$_____.

11 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2009:

13 (A) New budget authority,

14 \$_____.

15 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2010:

17 (A) New budget authority,

18 \$_____.

19 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

20 (6) Agriculture (350):

21 Fiscal year 2005:

22 (A) New budget authority,

23 \$_____.

24 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

25 Fiscal year 2006:



11

1 (A) New budget authority,

2 \$_____.

3 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

4 Fiscal year 2007:

5 (A) New budget authority,

6 \$_____.

7 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2008:

9 (A) New budget authority,

10 \$_____.

11 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2009:

13 (A) New budget authority,

14 \$_____.

15 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2010:

17 (A) New budget authority,

18 \$_____.

19 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

20 (7) Commerce and Housing Credit (370):

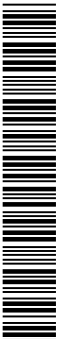
21 Fiscal year 2005:

22 (A) New budget authority,

23 \$_____.

24 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

25 Fiscal year 2006:



12

1 (A) New budget authority,

2 \$_____.

3 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

4 Fiscal year 2007:

5 (A) New budget authority,

6 \$_____.

7 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2008:

9 (A) New budget authority,

10 \$_____.

11 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2009:

13 (A) New budget authority,

14 \$_____.

15 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2010:

17 (A) New budget authority,

18 \$_____.

19 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

20 (8) Transportation (400):

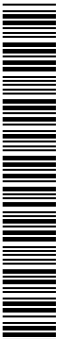
21 Fiscal year 2005:

22 (A) New budget authority,

23 \$_____.

24 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

25 Fiscal year 2006:



13

1 (A) New budget authority,

2 \$_____.

3 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

4 Fiscal year 2007:

5 (A) New budget authority,

6 \$_____.

7 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

8 Fiscal year 2008:

9 (A) New budget authority,

10 \$_____.

11 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

12 Fiscal year 2009:

13 (A) New budget authority,

14 \$_____.

15 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

16 Fiscal year 2010:

17 (A) New budget authority,

18 \$_____.

19 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

20 (9) Community and Regional Development

21 (450):

22 Fiscal year 2005:

23 (A) New budget authority,

24 \$_____.

25 (B) Outlays, \$_____.



14

1 Fiscal year 2006:

2 (A) New budget authority,

3 \$_____.

4 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

5 Fiscal year 2007:

6 (A) New budget authority,

7 \$_____.

8 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

9 Fiscal year 2008:

10 (A) New budget authority,

11 \$_____.

12 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

13 Fiscal year 2009:

14 (A) New budget authority,

15 \$_____.

16 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

17 Fiscal year 2010:

18 (A) New budget authority,

19 \$_____.

20 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

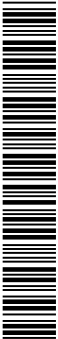
21 (10) Education, Training, Employment, and

22 Social Services (500):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



15

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

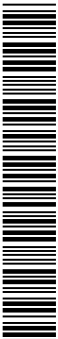
21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (11) Health (550):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



16

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (12) Medicare (570):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



17

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

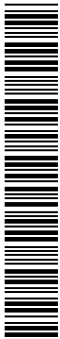
21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (13) Income Security (600):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



18

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

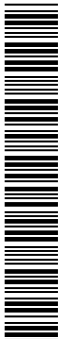
21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (14) Social Security (650):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



19

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

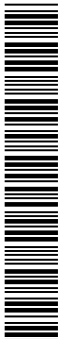
21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (15) Veterans Benefits and Services (700):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



20

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

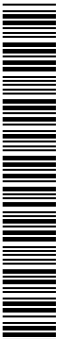
21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (16) Administration of Justice (750):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



21

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (17) General Government (800):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



22

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

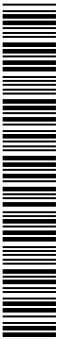
21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (18) Net Interest (900):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



23

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (19) Allowances (920):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 \$_____.



24

1 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 \$_____.

17 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 \$_____.

21 (B) Outlays, \$_____.

22 (20) Undistributed Offsetting Receipts (950):

23 Fiscal year 2005:

24 (A) New budget authority,

25 — \$_____.



25

1 (B) Outlays, — \$_____.

2 Fiscal year 2006:

3 (A) New budget authority,

4 — \$_____.

5 (B) Outlays, — \$_____.

6 Fiscal year 2007:

7 (A) New budget authority,

8 — \$_____.

9 (B) Outlays, — \$_____.

10 Fiscal year 2008:

11 (A) New budget authority,

12 — \$_____.

13 (B) Outlays, — \$_____.

14 Fiscal year 2009:

15 (A) New budget authority,

16 — \$_____.

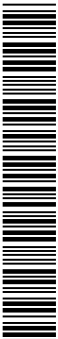
17 (B) Outlays, — \$_____.

18 Fiscal year 2010:

19 (A) New budget authority,

20 — \$_____.

21 (B) Outlays, — \$_____.



1 **TITLE II—RECONCILIATION AND**
2 **REPORT SUBMISSIONS**

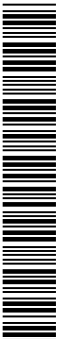
3 **SEC. 201. RECONCILIATION IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENT-**
4 **ATIVES.**

5 (a) SUBMISSIONS TO SLOW THE GROWTH IN MANDA-
6 TORY SPENDING AND TO ACHIEVE DEFICIT REDUC-
7 TION.—(1) Not later than September 16, 2005, the House
8 committees named in paragraph (2) shall submit their rec-
9 ommendations to the House Committee on the Budget.
10 After receiving those recommendations, the House Com-
11 mittee on the Budget shall report to the House a reconcili-
12 ation bill carrying out all such recommendations without
13 any substantive revision.

14 (2) INSTRUCTIONS.—

15 (A) COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE.—The
16 House Committee on Agriculture shall report
17 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to
18 reduce the level of direct spending for that com-
19 mittee by \$_____ in outlays for fiscal year 2006
20 and \$_____ in outlays for the period of fiscal
21 years 2006 through 2010.

22 (B) COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND THE
23 WORKFORCE.—The House Committee on Education
24 and the Workforce shall report changes in laws with-
25 in its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce the level of di-

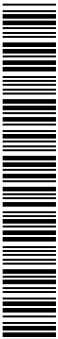


1 rect spending for that committee by \$_____ in
2 outlays for fiscal year 2006 and \$_____ in out-
3 lays for the period of fiscal years 2006 through
4 2010.

5 (C) COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COM-
6 MERCE.—The House Committee on Energy and
7 Commerce shall report changes in laws within its ju-
8 risdiction sufficient to reduce the level of direct
9 spending for that committee by \$_____ in out-
10 lays for fiscal year 2006 and \$_____ in outlays
11 for the period of fiscal years 2006 through 2010.

12 (D) COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL SERVICES.—
13 The House Committee on Financial Services shall
14 report changes in laws within its jurisdiction suffi-
15 cient to reduce the level of direct spending for that
16 committee by \$_____ in outlays for fiscal year
17 2006 and \$_____ in outlays for the period of fis-
18 cal years 2006 through 2010.

19 (E) COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY.—The
20 House Committee on the Judiciary shall report
21 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to
22 reduce the level of direct spending for that com-
23 mittee by \$_____ in outlays for fiscal year 2006
24 and \$_____ in outlays for the period of fiscal
25 years 2006 through 2010.

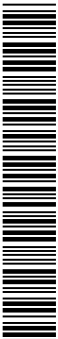


1 (F) COMMITTEE ON RESOURCES.—The House
2 Committee on Resources shall report changes in
3 laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce the
4 level of direct spending for that committee by
5 \$_____ in outlays for fiscal year 2006 and
6 \$_____ in outlays for the period of fiscal years
7 2006 through 2010.

8 (G) COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE.—The House
9 Committee on Science shall report changes in laws
10 within its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce the level of
11 direct spending for that committee by \$_____ in
12 outlays for fiscal year 2006 and \$_____ in out-
13 lays for the period of fiscal years 2006 through
14 2010.

15 (H) COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND IN-
16 FRASTRUCTURE.—The House Committee on Trans-
17 portation and Infrastructure shall report changes in
18 laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce the
19 level of direct spending for that committee by
20 \$_____ in outlays for fiscal year 2006 and
21 \$_____ in outlays for the period of fiscal years
22 2006 through 2010.

23 (J) COMMITTEE ON VETERANS' AFFAIRS.—The
24 House Committee on Veterans' Affairs shall report
25 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to

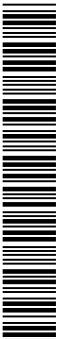


1 reduce the level of direct spending for that com-
2 mittee by \$_____ in outlays for fiscal year 2006
3 and \$_____ in outlays for the period of fiscal
4 years 2006 through 2010.

5 (K) COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS.—The
6 House Committee on Ways and Means shall report
7 changes in laws within its jurisdiction sufficient to
8 reduce the deficit by \$_____ for fiscal year 2006
9 and \$_____ for the period of fiscal years 2006
10 through 2010.

11 (b) SUBMISSION PROVIDING FOR THE EXTENSION OF
12 EXPIRING TAX RELIEF.—The House Committee on Ways
13 and Means shall report a reconciliation bill not later than
14 June 24, 2005, that consists of changes in laws within
15 its jurisdiction sufficient to reduce revenues by not more
16 than \$_____ for fiscal year 2006 and by not more than
17 \$_____ for the period of fiscal years 2006 through
18 2010.

19 (c)(1) Upon the submission to the Committee on the
20 Budget of the House of a recommendation that has com-
21 plied with its reconciliation instructions solely by virtue
22 of section 310(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of
23 1974, the chairman of that committee may file with the
24 House appropriately revised allocations under section



1 302(a) of such Act and revised functional levels and aggre-
2 gates.

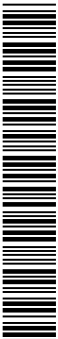
3 (2) Upon the submission to the House of a conference
4 report recommending a reconciliation bill or resolution in
5 which a committee has complied with its reconciliation in-
6 structions solely by virtue of this section, the chairman
7 of the Committee on the Budget of the House may file
8 with the House appropriately revised allocations under
9 section 302(a) of such Act and revised functional levels
10 and aggregates.

11 (3) Allocations and aggregates revised pursuant to
12 this subsection shall be considered to be allocations and
13 aggregates established by the concurrent resolution on the
14 budget pursuant to section 301 of such Act.

15 **TITLE III—CONTINGENCY** 16 **PROCEDURE**

17 **SEC. 301. CONTINGENCY PROCEDURE FOR SURFACE** 18 **TRANSPORTATION.**

19 (a) IN GENERAL.—If the Committee on Transpor-
20 tation and Infrastructure of the House reports legislation,
21 or if an amendment thereto is offered or a conference re-
22 port thereon is submitted, that provides new budget au-
23 thority for the budget accounts or portions thereof in the
24 highway and transit categories as defined in sections
25 250(c)(4)(B) and (C) of the Balanced Budget and Emer-



1 gency Deficit Control Act of 1985 in excess of the fol-
2 lowing amounts:

3 (1) for fiscal year 2005: \$42,806,000,000,

4 (2) for fiscal year 2006: \$45,899,100,000,

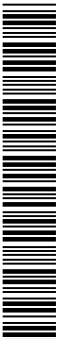
5 (3) for fiscal year 2007: \$47,828,700,000,

6 (4) for fiscal year 2008: \$49,715,400,000, or

7 (5) for fiscal year 2009: \$51,743,500,000,

8 the chairman of the Committee on the Budget may adjust
9 the appropriate budget aggregates and increase the alloca-
10 tion of new budget authority to such committee for fiscal
11 year 2005 and for the period of fiscal years 2005 through
12 2009 to the extent such excess is offset by a reduction
13 in mandatory outlays from the Highway Trust Fund or
14 an increase in receipts appropriated to such fund for the
15 applicable fiscal year caused by such legislation or any
16 previously enacted legislation.

17 (b) ADJUSTMENT FOR OUTLAYS.—For fiscal year
18 2006, in the House, if a bill or joint resolution is reported,
19 or if an amendment thereto is offered or a conference re-
20 port thereon is submitted, that changes obligation limita-
21 tions such that the total limitations are in excess of
22 \$42,792,000,000 for fiscal year 2006 for programs,
23 projects, and activities within the highway and transit cat-
24 egories as defined in sections 250(c)(4)(B) and (C) of the
25 Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of

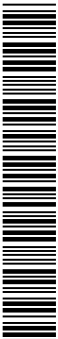


1 1985, and if legislation has been enacted that satisfies the
2 conditions set forth in subsection (a) for such fiscal year,
3 the chairman of the Committee on the Budget may in-
4 crease the allocation of outlays and appropriate aggregates
5 for such fiscal year for the committee reporting such
6 measure by the amount of outlays that corresponds to
7 such excess obligation limitations, but not to exceed the
8 amount of such excess that was offset pursuant to sub-
9 section (a).

10 **TITLE IV—BUDGET**
11 **ENFORCEMENT**

12 **SEC. 401. EMERGENCY LEGISLATION.**

13 (a) EXEMPTION OF OVERSEAS CONTINGENCY OPER-
14 ATIONS.—(1) In the House, if any bill or joint resolution
15 is reported, or an amendment is offered thereto or a con-
16 ference report is filed thereon, that makes supplemental
17 appropriations for fiscal year 2005 or fiscal year 2006 for
18 contingency operations related to the global war on ter-
19 rorism, then the new budget authority, new entitlement
20 authority, outlays, and receipts resulting therefrom shall
21 not count for purposes of sections 302, 303, 311, and 401
22 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 for the provi-
23 sions of such measure that are designated pursuant to this
24 subsection as making appropriations for such contingency
25 operations.

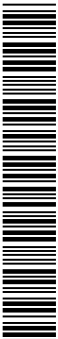


1 (2) Amounts included in this resolution for the pur-
2 pose set forth in paragraph (1) shall be considered to be
3 current law for purposes of the preparation of the current
4 level of budget authority and outlays and the appropriate
5 levels shall be adjusted upon the enactment of such bill.

6 (b) EXEMPTION OF EMERGENCY PROVISIONS.—In
7 the House, if a bill or joint resolution is reported, or an
8 amendment is offered thereto or a conference report is
9 filed thereon, that designates a provision as an emergency
10 requirement pursuant to this section, then the new budget
11 authority, new entitlement authority, outlays, and receipts
12 resulting therefrom shall not count for purposes of sec-
13 tions 302, 303, 311, and 401 of the Congressional Budget
14 Act of 1974.

15 (c) DESIGNATIONS.—

16 (1) GUIDANCE.—In the House, if a provision of
17 legislation is designated as an emergency require-
18 ment under subsection (b), the committee report and
19 any statement of managers accompanying that legis-
20 lation shall include an explanation of the manner in
21 which the provision meets the criteria in paragraph
22 (2). If such legislation is to be considered by the
23 House without being reported, then the committee
24 shall cause the explanation to be published in the



1 Congressional Record in advance of floor consider-
2 ation.

3 (2) CRITERIA.—

4 (A) IN GENERAL.—Any such provision is
5 an emergency requirement if the underlying sit-
6 uation poses a threat to life, property, or na-
7 tional security and is—

8 (i) sudden, quickly coming into being,
9 and not building up over time;

10 (ii) an urgent, pressing, and compel-
11 ling need requiring immediate action;

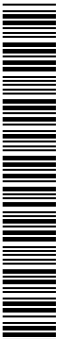
12 (iii) subject to subparagraph (B), un-
13 foreseen, unpredictable, and unanticipated;
14 and

15 (iv) not permanent, temporary in na-
16 ture.

17 (B) UNFORESEEN.—An emergency that is
18 part of an aggregate level of anticipated emer-
19 gencies, particularly when normally estimated in
20 advance, is not unforeseen.

21 **SEC. 402. COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 13301 OF THE BUDG-**
22 **ET ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 1990.**

23 (a) IN GENERAL.—In the House, notwithstanding
24 section 302(a)(1) of the Congressional Budget Act of
25 1974 and section 13301 of the Budget Enforcement Act



1 of 1990, the joint explanatory statement accompanying
2 the conference report on any concurrent resolution on the
3 budget shall include in its allocation under section 302(a)
4 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to the Committee
5 on Appropriations amounts for the discretionary adminis-
6 trative expenses of the Social Security Administration.

7 (b) SPECIAL RULE.—In the House, for purposes of
8 applying section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act
9 of 1974, estimates of the level of total new budget author-
10 ity and total outlays provided by a measure shall include
11 any discretionary amounts provided for the Social Security
12 Administration.

13 **SEC. 403. APPLICATION AND EFFECT OF CHANGES IN ALLO-**
14 **CATIONS AND AGGREGATES.**

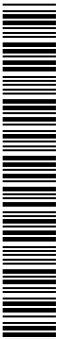
15 (a) APPLICATION.—Any adjustments of allocations
16 and aggregates made pursuant to this resolution shall—

17 (1) apply while that measure is under consider-
18 ation;

19 (2) take effect upon the enactment of that
20 measure; and

21 (3) be published in the Congressional Record as
22 soon as practicable.

23 (b) EFFECT OF CHANGED ALLOCATIONS AND AG-
24 GREGATES.—Revised allocations and aggregates resulting
25 from these adjustments shall be considered for the pur-



1 poses of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 as alloca-
2 tions and aggregates contained in this resolution.

3 (c) BUDGET COMMITTEE DETERMINATIONS.—For
4 purposes of this resolution—

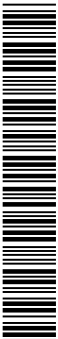
5 (1) the levels of new budget authority, outlays,
6 direct spending, new entitlement authority, revenues,
7 deficits, and surpluses for a fiscal year or period of
8 fiscal years shall be determined on the basis of esti-
9 mates made by the appropriate Committee on the
10 Budget; and

11 (2) such chairman may make any other nec-
12 essary adjustments to such levels to carry out this
13 resolution.

14 **SEC. 404. RESTRICTIONS ON ADVANCE APPROPRIATIONS.**

15 (a) IN GENERAL.—(1) In the House, except as pro-
16 vided in subsection (b), an advance appropriation may not
17 be reported in a bill or joint resolution making a general
18 appropriation or continuing appropriation, and may not
19 be in order as an amendment thereto.

20 (2) Managers on the part of the House may not agree
21 to a Senate amendment that would violate paragraph (1)
22 unless specific authority to agree to the amendment first
23 is given by the House by a separate vote with respect
24 thereto.



1 (b) LIMITATION.—In the House, an advance appro-
2 priation may be provided for fiscal year 2007 or 2008 for
3 programs, projects, activities or accounts identified in the
4 joint explanatory statement of managers accompanying
5 this resolution under the heading “Accounts Identified for
6 Advance Appropriations” in an aggregate amount not to
7 exceed \$23,568,000,000 in new budget authority.

8 (c) DEFINITION.—In this subsection, the term “ad-
9 vance appropriation” means any discretionary new budget
10 authority in a bill or joint resolution making general ap-
11 propriations or continuing appropriations for fiscal year
12 2006 that first becomes available for any fiscal year after
13 2006.

14 **SEC. 405. SPECIAL RULE IN THE HOUSE FOR CERTAIN SEC-**
15 **TION 302(b) SUBALLOCATIONS.**

16 In the House, the Committee on Appropriations may
17 make a separate suballocation for general appropriations
18 for the legislative branch for the first fiscal year of this
19 resolution. Such suballocation shall be deemed to be made
20 under section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of
21 1974 and shall be treated as such a suballocation for all
22 purposes under section 302 of such Act.

23 **SEC. 406. SPECIAL PROCEDURES TO ACHIEVE SAVINGS IN**
24 **MANDATORY SPENDING THROUGH FY2014.**

25 (a) FINDINGS.—The Congress finds that—

1 (1) the share of the budget consumed by man-
2 datory spending have been growing since the mid-
3 1970s, and now is about 54 percent;

4 (2) this portion of the budget is continuing to
5 grow, crowding out other priorities and threatening
6 overall budget control;

7 (3) mandatory spending is intrinsically difficult
8 to control;

9 (4) these programs are subject to a variety of
10 factors outside the control of Congress, such as de-
11 mographics, economic conditions, and medical prices;

12 (5) Congress should make an effort at least
13 every other year, to review mandatory spending; and

14 (6) the reconciliation process set forth in the
15 Congressional Budget Act of 1974 is a viable tool to
16 reduce the rate of growth in mandatory spending.

17 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of the
18 Congress that concurrent resolutions on the budget for fis-
19 cal years 2007 through 2010 should include reconciliation
20 instructions to committees, every other year, pursuant to
21 section 310(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974
22 to achieve significant savings in mandatory spending.

